

Temporary Delegation of Authority Under the  
Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2016, For  
Approval and Administration of Multipurpose  
Grants to States and Tribes

1. AUTHORITY. The authority temporarily delegated to the Region 5 Regional Administrator, by a temporary delegation of authority from the EPA Administrator, as follows:

Pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2016, P.L. 114-113, to approve grants or interagency agreements to states and tribes to assist with implementing environmental programs and projects that complement existing environmental program grants, including interagency agreements.

2. TO WHOM DELEGATED. In Region 5, this authority is delegated by the Regional Administrator of Region 5 to the Directors of the Air and Radiation Division, the Land and Chemicals Division, the Superfund Division, and the Water Division.
3. LIMITATIONS. None.
4. REDELEGATION AUTHORITY.
- a. This authority may not be further re-delegated.
  - b. An official who redelegates an authority retains the right to exercise or withdraw the authority. Redelegated authority may be exercised by any official in the chain of command down to the official to whom it has been specifically redelegated.
5. ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.
- a. Headquarters temporary delegation titled "Temporary Delegation of Authority under the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2016, for Approval and Administration of Multipurpose Grants to States and Tribes," June 22, 2016.
  - b. Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2016, P.L. 114-113, at <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/2029> - awards grants to states and tribes to assist with implementing environmental programs and projects

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- c. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency announcement on multipurpose grants to states and tribes at <https://www.epa.gov/grants/multipurpose-grants-states-and-tribes>.
- d. Administrator's Delegation 1-14-A and Region 5 Delegation 1-14-A ("Assistance Agreements")(providing authority to take all necessary actions to award, obligate and de-obligate funds for, and administer fellowship, grant, cooperative and loan agreements, and to make any final determinations required by law or regulations, with eligible recipients).